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## Discussing the Desirability of Legalized Pooling.

## The Interstate Commerce Commission Seeking Opinions.

## Railroad Officials All Want a Repeal of the Law.

## The Pullman Palace Car People Want to Enforce a Jay Gould Contract—Some General Notes—Railroad Mention.

Some time ago the Interstate Commerce Commission sent out to railroad managers, commissioners of bureaus and commercial organizations letters asking for opinions on the law and the proposed amendment legalizing pooling. The Kansas City Transportation Bureau received one of these letters, and after considerable discussion among the members it was found that the bureau could not entirely agree, and the Star says that a reply will be made to the commission in a few days, but just what it will be has not been given out directly, and Commissioner Vanlandingham, in discussing the question, said:

"The interstate commerce law should be amended at an early date so as to strengthen it, for the decisions of the courts have shown its extreme weakness. I do not remember a single clause that has stood the test in court where vigorously fought. There are now few clauses left intact."

"At a recent meeting of this bureau we discussed the proposed amendments to the law, and there were about as many different opinions on the subject as there were members of the bureau."

"Many of our members, as well as many railroad men, favor the repeal of the entire law. The majority, however, favor it amended so as to strengthen it and give the commission authority to carry out its provisions, believing that its general effect has been beneficial."

"In my opinion the most injurious section to all interests is the fourth—the long and short haul clause. It has prevented long lines from competing for business they would otherwise have been glad to haul, thus reducing competition at points where money had been invested by the public to bring new lines into them, the business at such junctions being not great enough to induce the long lines to reduce the intermediate rates; hence the intermediate towns were not benefited by the law, and long roads prevented from hauling business they might have hauled at a small revenue."

"The principal question to be considered in the matter of rates is the rate charged competitive points on similar articles. It is of no interest to the Kansas City grain man what the Omaha grocer pays on sugar, but he is interested in the rate both from and to Omaha on grain, as a charge of a few cents per hundred may shut it out from his trade. This is a question not affected by the long and short haul clause, but by competition between commercial centers. The same rule applies to a greater extent on competition between shippers and manufacturers of all classes. A few cents difference to a rival city means the diversion of business to that point."

"The fifth section, or anti-pooling section, has proved inoperative, and the railroads are urging not only its repeal, but the substitution of a section legalizing pooling contracts between them. Many of our members are very much opposed to the repeal of this section, but all of them are opposed to the proposed reversal of it."

"I do not believe its repeal, placing questions of pools on its merits, as it stood before the adoption of the law, would injure the public, and it might enable the railroads to make stronger agreements for the maintenance of rates than they seem to be able to do now."

"The trouble with most pools is the opportunity for discrimination on territory left out. It is possible a pool for the maintenance of reasonable rates relatively adjusted for the protection of all interests could be formed, but the best evidence that it is very difficult to do so is the fact that such a one never has been formed, at least not in this territory."

"If one is formed that favors protection to all interests, I do not believe the railroads will meet with any difficulty in carrying out its provisions. Should they, however, form an agreement that does not offer us the protection our natural position gives us a right to expect, or form one that has a tendency to force business away from us, we will find means to protect ourselves, even though the fifth section should be repealed or amended, as proposed."

"Knowing this to be true, and from the fact that most of the railroads passing through or terminating at Kansas City are friendly to us, I do not think we need fear any form of agreement between them that will injure us in the end."

"I hope the penalty clause against both shipper and railroad agents, as it now stands in the law, will be repealed, and in lieu thereof a penalty in the way of a fine will be assessed against the railroad company that violates the law. There will then be no difficulty getting evidence, and violations will be reduced to a minimum."

Officials of Eastern lines are not much discouraged over the apparent failure of their freight pool. They acknowledge it has not yet removed out rates, nor did they think it would until the plan had been tried a month or two. Existing out rates, they declare, are a relic of the old regime and will soon be discontinued.

The Pullman Palace Car Company's suit against the Missouri, Kansas and Texas was begun in the United States Circuit Court this morning and has occupied all day. The Pullman company claims to have made a contract with Jay Gould, when he was president of the road, for the use of the Pullman cars exclusively on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas system, and alleges that this contract does not expire for nine years. The claim is that the road is about to discard Pullman's and use Wagner cars. The railroad claims that the contract with the Pullman company was annulled when the road went into the receiver's hands in November, 1888.

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[American Agriculturist.]  
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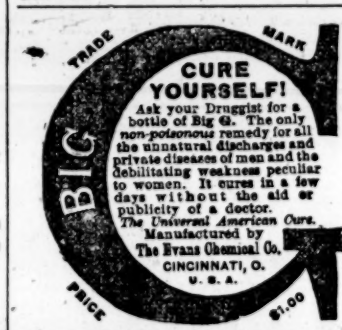
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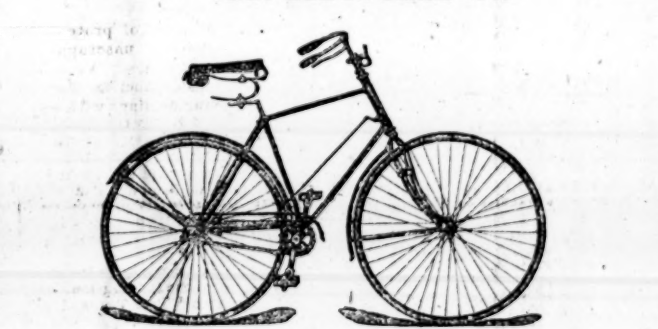
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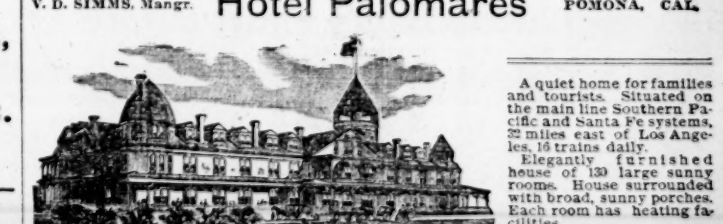
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## IN SOCIAL SPHERES.

## BISHOP GOODSELL'S RECEPTION.

The large assemblage of representative Methodists of the city and surrounding towns which gathered at the First Church last evening to greet Bishop Goodsell, the recently appointed bishop on this coast, voiced a sincere welcome on the part of Southern California.

The great auditorium had been decorated with that lavish elegance for which the ladies of the church are famous. Garlands of smilax fell in graceful festoons from the height of the pulpit to the platform. The chancel and organ-loft railing were hidden in a wealth of Christmas holly, from which rose the feathery papyrus. Stands with their burden of fragrant flowers graced the auditorium, the chairs having been removed from the center space, and smilax and pepper boughs twined the pillars, falling in a curtain between the central posts.

Since the removal of Bishop Fowler from Pasadena there has been some misgivings in the minds of Methodists as to the probability of having another resident bishop on this coast. It is, therefore, with a feeling of unusual pleasure that they welcome Bishop Goodsell. In his talk last night, however, the Bishop stated that there had never been a doubt since the general conference met that this coast would be left without a bishop. "The reason of the delay," he said, "is that I have greater things to do here than to be thought of coming to you. As he was my senior bishop, it was only after he had ceased to consider it that I announced my desire to come. I liked Texas, but I preferred the Pacific coast. I am here because I want to be here."

Bishop Goodsell is not only a distinguished man in looks and appearance, but a strong and eloquent speaker, and his coming means much to the Methodist church of this coast.

The formal exercises last night were opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. Breese of Simpson Church, followed by a song by Mrs. Bender, Rev. G. W. White, presiding elder of the First Presbyterian Church, then addressed the Bishop on behalf of the church, telling him that he would find more Methodists to the square mile in Southern California than anywhere on the coast. Dean Matthews of the First Presbyterian Church, to make some remarks, which he did in his characteristic fashion of always saying the right thing in the right place. It was one of the best welcoming addresses of the evening, referring to the Pasadena community which knows no sectarianism. After a solo by Miss Clara Smith, Dr. Campbell, who acted as chairman, called upon his warm personal friend, Rev. E. H. Howard of the First Presbyterian Church, to make some remarks, which he did in his characteristic fashion of always saying the right thing in the right place. It was one of the best welcoming addresses of the evening, referring to the Pasadena community which knows no sectarianism. After a solo by Miss Clara Smith, Dr. Campbell called upon Bishop Goodsell, who responded with a brief address full of sympathy and affection for these, his new people, and of appreciation for the cordial greeting.

Dr. Campbell then spoke a few words of welcome, telling the Bishop that the fact of his entering California by way of the South made him seem nearer and dearer to the people here, in that they were first to bid him welcome. With true California hospitality he urged him to come often and stay long. Among other ministers present were: Rev. F. M. Larkin, E. W. Caswell, W. S. Howard, F. V. Fisher, Rev. Dr. James W. A. Knighton of Monrovia; Rev. Dr. Williams of University, Rev. George L. Cole, F. L. Morrill of San Jacinto, J. C. Cowan of Highlands, A. A. Holden of Orange, Rev. Mr. Ulen.

THE SPECIAL MUSIC. Among the holiday entertainments worthy of special mention was the Christmas musicale at Belmont Hall on the evening of the 24th. The solos rendered by the Misses Rowell, Garey and Hearty and the full choruses reflected great credit upon the excellent instruction of Mrs. Kuhn.

The instrumental numbers were given with spirit and good expression by the Misses Spencer, Parker, Garey and Longfellow, who are the pupils of Miss Conger, so well known in musical circles. The "Pantomime of Childhood," by the pupils under the instruction of Miss Finney made a pleasing variety of tableaux, gesture, expression and graceful posing, which is a marked feature of modern training. The number was one of the most delightful of the frequent entertainments given by this school for young ladies.

AT ATHLETIC PARK. All society turned out yesterday afternoon to see the football game down at Athletic Park. Carriages, dog carts, four-in-hands and all sorts of equipages, gaily decorated with ribbons, were crowded with pretty-faced women, who, in the mad excitement of the hour, stood up on the seats and clapped their hands ecstatically. The number of pairs of kid gloves ruined would defy belief. Hundreds of others went down in the plebeian street-cars and witnessed the sport from the grand stand, the bleacher benches, the kindergarten corner, or stood leaning against the ropes—anywhere they could get a glimpse of the players. The cardinal and the crimson and yellow fluttered everywhere, distinguishing the teams' admirers. The Stanford students from Los Angeles who are now home on vacation, went down in a four-in-hand gorgeously decorated with crimson and a chorus of melodious toots from their tin horns announced every victory, given in the regular university yell tune, something like this:

Toot, toot, toot, Stanford.  
Toot, toot, toot, Stanford.  
Even the staunchest friend of the home team could not resist an ecstatic shout to see how cleverly those university boys hug the ball, or "made a rush," or a "touch down," or sent it flying skyward with a dexterous kick. The wearers of the red were delighted with the outcome, but the large company who decorated themselves with gorgeous tints of crimson and yellow began to wonder where they were at in the popular vernacular of the day, as the Stanford continued to cover themselves with glory and the Los Angeles team kept losing. Some of the society girls pronounced the brutal sport and others declared it was "perfectly lovely."

A CHRISTMAS WEDDING. The marriage of Miss Nellie Woolcott to Charles Howard occurred on Saturday evening at the residence of the bride's brother, H. J. Woolcott, at No. 627 South Grand avenue. About fifty guests witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by an old friend of the family, Rev. D. C. Mills of Santa Ana.

The ceremony occurred at 8:30, the couple standing under a beautiful wedding veil of variegated blossoms. The bride wore a handsome pearl-colored gown and orange blossoms in her hair. The attendants were Miss Winnie Woolcott, sister of the bride; Burt Howard, Miss Grace Howard, brother and sister of the groom, and Will Bachelor. The church was elegantly decorated

with Christmas holly, mistletoe boughs and smilax. An elaborate wedding supper was served in the dining-room from long tables, pretty girl waiters in white gowns officiating. The couple received some very handsome and valuable presents, including a fine piano from the bride's mother and a generous purse from her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard will reside in Los Angeles.

A CHRISTMAS BARBECUE. Mrs. M. G. Santa Cruz and daughters, Delphina and Amelia, served an elegant old-time Christmas barbecue breakfast to a number of friends at their residence, No. 222 Upper Main street, at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The center of attraction, of course, on the well-laden table was the barbecued steer's head. Among the guests were Prof. and Mrs. Berg, Dr. and Mrs. Hagan, George Hassen and sister, Mrs. McGregor, Harry Smith, Ralph and Wood Hagan, J. Kelly, F. J. Kelly, F. Price. After the breakfast there was good music, piano, guitar and vocal, by Prof. Berg and a number of ladies.

A quiet wedding, a report of which, however, has reached The Times, was that of Gustav A. Neth and Miss Fannie Leachman, which occurred yesterday at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. John Lowe of No. 628 East Twelfth street.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Daniel Read, of the first Baptist Church of this city.

As an accomplished and charming young society lady of Los Angeles, Miss Leachman won many warm and loving friends, whose best wishes she has for her future happiness.

Mr. Neth is a well-known and worthy business gentleman of this city, who richly deserves his extended popularity and enviable reputation.

After a delightful wedding breakfast, which was daintily served, the happy pair left for Coronado Beach for their wedding trip.

PERSONAL MENTION. Mrs. Annie Ingalls, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Jordan, leaves for the North this week to spend New Year's at her home.

George W. King and family have removed to their residence, on West Twenty-third street, where they will be pleased to see their friends.

E. P. Johnson, Jr., and wife of Sacramento are in the city for the holidays. Frank Finlayson, Assemblyman-elect, left for San Francisco yesterday. A large number of friends were at the depot to see him off.

Mayor and Mrs. Henry T. Hazard have issued invitations to the United States Government officials, representatives of foreign governments, the ex-mayors of Los Angeles, and the elect county and city officers, for an at home on next Friday evening at their residence, No. 2825 South Grand avenue.

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT SHOWING THE Rapid Growth of the German-American Savings Bank OF LOS ANGELES. Cash Assets, January, 1891, \$188,788.66. Cash Assets, February, 1891, \$192,000.00. Cash Assets, March, 1891, \$195,000.00. Cash Assets, April, 1891, \$198,000.00. Cash Assets, May, 1891, \$201,000.00. Cash Assets, June, 1891, \$204,000.00. Cash Assets, July, 1891, \$207,000.00. Cash Assets, August, 1891, \$210,000.00. Cash Assets, September, 1891, \$213,000.00. Cash Assets, October, 1891, \$216,000.00. Cash Assets, November, 1891, \$219,000.00. Cash Assets, December, 1891, \$222,000.00. Cash Assets, January, 1892, \$225,000.00. Cash Assets, February, 1892, \$228,000.00. Cash Assets, March, 1892, \$231,000.00. Cash Assets, April, 1892, \$234,000.00. Cash Assets, May, 1892, \$237,000.00. Cash Assets, June, 1892, \$240,000.00. Cash Assets, July, 1892, \$243,000.00. Cash Assets, August, 1892, \$246,000.00. Cash Assets, September, 1892, \$249,000.00. Cash Assets, October, 1892, \$252,000.00. Cash Assets, November, 1892, \$255,000.00. Cash Capital and Surplus, \$110,000.00. 5 per cent interest paid on term deposits compounded quarterly.

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U. S. GOVERNMENT ADVERTISEMENTS. PROPOSALS FOR THE ERECTION OF Buildings—United States Indian School, Phoenix, Arizona, December 18, 1892—Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for the erection of buildings," and addressed to the undersigned at Phoenix, Arizona, will be received at this school until 10 o'clock on January 13, 1893, for furnishing the necessary materials and labor required in the erection and completion of a two-story frame addition to this school building and one brick warehouse, as per plans and specifications on file at this school. Bids may be examined at the office of The Times, Los Angeles, California, and at this school. Bidders are required to submit separate bids for each building, and state the length of time proposed to complete the same. The attention of bidders is invited to the act of Congress, approved August 1, 1892, entitled "An act to





## PASADENA.

## An Important Board of Trade Meeting Tomorrow.

There should be a large attendance of citizens—Various Local Items—People Coming and Going—Notes.

The committee appointed by the Board of Trade to confer with the County World's Fair Commission with reference to the painting of Pasadena to be exhibited at the Columbian Fair, will make its report tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Carlton Hotel parlors.

On the same occasion other important questions will be discussed—notably the proposed effort to secure the telescope of the Chicago University for our mountains. When completed this will be the largest glass yet projected, and an effort should be made to bring it this way. Let every citizen turn out.

**INFORMATION WANTED.**  
A few days ago attention was called in these columns to the possibilities which the business of curing lemons in and about Pasadena offers a man of push and intelligence with a modest amount of capital. The suggestion thus thrown out has received the attention not only of some wide-awake Pasadenians, but also of some of the following extracts from a letter received yesterday from North Ontario:

The writer says: "I have just finished a building suitable for that business here, and so far have cured some fine fruit. This, however, would not be far from the fact, taking hold at your place, providing, however, that satisfactory arrangements for location of building could be made and the prospect of getting sufficient quantities of lemons at suitable prices be assured. At a rough estimate, about how many boxes might a person get within three or four miles of Pasadena by either buying them delivered and getting them in season, and at about how much less per box could the green fruit be bought than the cured is worth in the market."

Here are a few practical questions asked by a practical man, who evidently means business. Answers will be gladly received from any persons who may be able to furnish reliable information. It is not unlikely that this may prove the stepping stone to the establishment of another important industry in Pasadena.

**EVERYTHING LOOKS ROSEY.**  
The recent rain augurs well for the Tourment of Roses. By next Monday the country will be in the full bloom of its midwinter beauty, and the spot where the tournament is to be held will prove a revelation to all who have never visited one of our groves of live oaks in January. The track is in excellent condition and is open to all. Those who have horses or ponies or even burros entered for the races and already have a track for training purposes. Entries are coming in lively, and already a sufficient number have been received to insure plenty of exciting contests. The procession of decorated teams promises to be more elaborate than ever before, a number of owners of handsome teams have been already engaged in arranging for a supply of horse trimmings.

**STRAIGHT FROM HONOLULU.**  
C. H. Richardson of this city, who has been backing in Honolulu sunbathing for some weeks past, forwards a copy of the Liberator, a semi-weekly paper of that city. The following interesting article has pencil marks around it:  
"Ua olelo ia ka kela olelo hoolohoe a ka Aha Kiele no na hoolohoe Kumukana, ua loa loa i ka lehuhele he mana o e aha ana o ke Aha Kiele. He mana o e aha ana o ka Aha Kiele i kekahi hoolohoe e like me na kuhikuhi o ka paauka 82, a ma u hoolohoe ala, e kaupaleina ia ana ka manawa noho al o ka Mo'i ma ke Kalauna he mau makahiki ole no alaila, ua ko loa, me ka hoolohoe koko ole."  
Of course, everybody knew all this before, but it is spicy because served up in new form.

**AT THE FOOTBALL GAME.**  
J. G. Rossiter occupied a high seat on the bleachers, and whooped things up in true Methodist style.

M. H. Weight had never seen the Stanford boys play, and so happened to be on the wrong side of the fence.

James H. Campbell, who is the local authority on the game, said that Stanford would have no walk-over. James has not been seen subsequent to the game.

Col. J. B. Burns, who appeared flying the Los Angeles Green colors, and shouted himself hoarse every time a Stanford man happened to be downed inside of a fifty-yard run.

Maj. George Miller, whose tall and graceful form seemed moulded especially for football work, and who is sometimes facetiously referred to as "Shorty," was backing the winning side.

Howard Conger, one of the old Pasadena eleven's famous halfbacks, was on hand, and was an ardent admirer of the splendid team work of the university boys.

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT THE PAINTER.**  
A very delightful concert was enjoyed by the guests of the Painter Sunday evening. It was gotten up impromptu, and a number of the guests contributed their services.

Mr. E. W. Field acted as spokesman. The program consisted of:  
Piano solo, "Cherry"—Mrs. Mason.  
Chorus, "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"—Zither solo, Mr. Meyer.  
Piano solo, "Moonlight Sonata"—Louis Kahn.

Remarks by Dr. Field appropriate to the evening and reading of one of Lowell's poems.

"Carol, Sweetly Carol"—Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Davis and Miss Crane.  
Reading, "Vision of Monk Gabriel"—Mr. McFarland.

Zither solo, Mr. Meyer.  
Duet—Mrs. Mason and Miss Crane.  
Chorus—Doxology.

**PASADENA BRÉVETTES.**  
Dr. W. Permar was out from Los Angeles yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wallace entertained a number of friends at dinner yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webb spent Christmas with friends in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Cockerell of St. Louis are among the recent arrivals at the Carlton.

Some exciting tennis was witnessed yesterday afternoon on the Walnut street court.

Adolph Schaff has received word of the safe arrival of his brother, Charles Schaff, in England.

Outside of central Colorado street, the thoroughfares of town are once more in the condition.

Mr. Frost of Boston, who has spent several winters in Pasadena, is lying quiet at his rooms at the Green.

Pasadena's contingent of Stanford students were out in full force at the football game yesterday, and came home highly elated over their team's rattling victory.

The weather yesterday was mild and spring-like, and proved a revelation to the recent arrivals who had not previously enjoyed a sample of our genuine mid-winter weather.

The Sunday-school of the Universalist Church will hold its holiday festivities next Friday afternoon and evening. Among other attractions will be some stereoscopic views given by Rev. Dr. Conger of his trip to the Yosemite.

On Friday evening last the advanced class of young ladies connected with Miss Collier's private school were most delightfully entertained at her pretty home

on Howard street. The decorations and dainty refreshments were characteristic of the accomplished hostess.

The resources of the livery stable were pretty well taxed yesterday supplying the wants of those who chose riding or driving as one of the pleasant ways of spending Christmas.

Billy's Boot, the spectacular burlesque which will be seen at the opera-house tomorrow night, comes highly recommended, and spoken of as one of the best shows of its class on the road.

Yesterday passed very quietly in town. The banks and many of the stores were closed. Business was generally suspended, and everybody made it a point to have as good a time as possible.

The guests at the Carlton, having recovered from their Christmas eve festivities, are preparing for another round of gayety on New Year's eve. They propose to give 1893 a rousing welcome.

Capt. C. M. Simpson leaves today for the North preparatory to entering upon his duties as Assemblyman from this district. Mrs. Simpson will accompany him for a short visit with friends at San Francisco.

Harold Channing's official measurement shows that a little over three inches of rain fell during the recent storm. This makes a total of about nine inches for the season, which is above the average, the date being considered.

As Sunday was Christmas, and as there was no mail delivery on that day, and yesterday being the day after Christmas, and there being no delivery on that day, there was a rush of expectant patrons who are anxious to get their friends back East during the two hours the postoffice windows were open yesterday.

**POMONA.**  
**Condition of the Orange Crop—The Olive Industry.**

The Times correspondent has interviewed a score or more of the most extensive and experienced orange-growers in Pomona Valley upon the condition of the crop now coming to full fruition. The unanimous opinion is that the yield is the largest, tree for tree, known in this section, and the prices now freely offered for the fruit are larger than have been known this early in the season since the winter of 1887-88.

The crop all over this valley is in first-class condition, and the trees are bending low under the weight of golden fruit. The lumber dealers have been busy for weeks turning up props for the laden trees, the orchardists, thus far this season, have been known to just right for the production of the finest specimens of citrus fruit we have ever had. The cool nights have checked the rapid maturity of the oranges and brought them more slowly to a ripening.

There has not been so good and solid a movement in acreage property in Pomona as this season in several years. So far as can be learned, every piece of land that has been bought lately has been for immediate improvement for a home or orchard for the buyer. The railroad agents in Pomona report a great many arrivals from the East.

Every individual money-lender in Pomona says that 8 per cent interest per annum is the highest rate he has been able to secure on first-class security for nearly a year. The days of high interest rates are over in Pomona. It speaks well for the credit of the community and business outlook to have lower interest rates.

Pomona has already had more than half as much as all the rainfall for last winter. The rains have been just what the crop just right for them. They look forward to a prosperous season for wheat, alfalfa and barley.

Over five thousand acres of China land are being prepared for planting to sugar beets. Pomona people go almost daily to see the mammoth steam plowing up the soil.

The San Francisco Chronicle says that Pomona is the most important locality in the world for the growing of young olive trees for planting in orchards. This is an industry of seven or eight years in Pomona, and so profitable has it become that several very large olive nurseries have been established here, and dozens of men are busy getting on to growing olive nursery stock and planting them in orchards.

There were grown and sold in Pomona about four hundred thousand olive trees. They went all over California. This year the quantity of young olive trees has increased to 600,000. The production of olives is increasing rapidly and the demand for olive trees from the nursery is heavier and larger than ever this season. The income from the sales of Pomona olive tree stock ought to be about twenty thousand dollars.

The Progress urges the paving of Second street, and the sentiment in favor of this important improvement seems to be fast gaining ground. The question now is as to the kind of paving to be done.

Miss Edith Griffin will spend the winter with her parents at the Occidental Hotel in San Francisco.

Miss Jennie Sutt is spending the holidays at home. She is attending the Los Angeles Business College.

Hope of Pomona lodge No. 305, I.O.G.T., will have a Christmas tree Thursday afternoon for their band of Hope.

A merry party of young men from Pomona made a flying trip to the head of Euclid avenue, Ontario, yesterday morning on the Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones of San Francisco are visiting the parents of Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall of Ontario are visiting in Pomona.

The Santa Fe will run a special train from Pomona to Riverside to give Pomona sports a chance to witness the game of football between Chaffey College and Stanford University.

Quite a spirited discussion was indulged in at the last meeting of the City Council in regard to the franchise for the new electric light plant. John L. Means appeared as a citizen of Pomona and stated that it should be stipulated in the franchise that the plant should be of sufficient size to generate light of not less than 3000 candle power.

The representative of the new company maintained that this was a matter for the contract with the city and not for the council to decide. It was decided that the city wanted an arc light of 1000 candle power they would be prepared to give it. The matter will be decided at the next meeting.

Morris Keller and wife are spending a few days in Los Angeles.

The meeting of the Board of Education was held in this place yesterday afternoon. He was a cousin of C. R. Johnson.

Christmas services were held at all the churches Sunday.

**BORN.**  
CUZNER—On Christmas eve, to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cuzner a son.

**DIED.**  
MORIARTY—In this city, Dec. 26, 1892, at his late residence, No. 736 South Spring street, Maurice P. Moriarty, aged 40 years 11 months and 10 days.

Notice of funeral will be given hereafter.

**Special Christmas Offerings.**  
We sell Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets of handsome designs. Crochery, glass and China. We have a large stock of goods. Our Mocha and Java Coffee is perfect. Our pure Teas and Spices have no equal. Great American Importing Tea Co., 123 S. Main and 331 S. Spring st.

An extra Christmas given to each customer.

**Draw Your Own Conclusion.**  
Mr. J. O. Davenport, manager of the Fort Bragg Redwood Company, Fort Bragg, Cal., writes: "I was cured of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I was suffering from a severe cold and cough and obtained immediate relief. I have sold large quantities of Chamberlain's medicine. For sale by John Beckwith & Son, druggists, No. 30 North Main street."

**HOTEL WINDSOR, Redlands, Cal.** New management. Mrs. E. A. Sloan, proprietor. H. Pratt manager.

**SAUERKRAUT, German Sausage Pickles, Smoked Salmon, Lake Superior White Fish, Cheese, Fresh Grated Butter, Baked Ham, Stephens' Mott Market, Tel. 734.**

500 canary birds and cages for Christmas presents, at No. 124 West Fourth street.

## SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

## Additional Details of the Killing of Paul Powers.

Sensational Developments Expected at the Inquest—Riverside Orange Growers in Conference—A New Budget from Redlands.

**SAN BERNARDINO.**  
The assassination of the hackman, Paul Powers, was the topic of conversation yesterday. As near as can be learned, the following are the particulars:

A little after midnight on Saturday night, as Powers was returning from one of the bachelors in the vicinity of First street, sitting upon the seat of his carriage, some one climbed stealthily upon the rear spring of the vehicle, and taking deliberate aim, fired a shot which resulted in cold-blooded murder. The ball from the weapon, apparently a .38 or .42-caliber revolver, passed through the right shoulder-blade of the victim, pierced the body, grazed the heart and coming out near the left breast sped on to the street, where it was found next morning near the curb half a block away.

The dead body of the driver rolled off the seat into the street about sixty feet beyond, and the hack passed on without striking the lifeless form of its former owner. The horses started to run, but one of the three occupants of the carriage climbed upon the box and stopped them about a block beyond, and hitched them to a telephone pole.

The report of the coroner's inquest, the people of the neighborhood from their slumbers, and the body of the murdered man was found upon E street near 1st from Second street, soon after midnight. The coroner was summoned, and the murderer and why the deed was done are still unsolved mysteries. There seems to be no clue as to who should commit the cowardly crime, but rumor suggests that it may have been done by some of the men of the number of unsavory affairs in which his name has been associated in connection with several women and a suicide. Two of the young men were with the body when it was first discovered by those who gave the alarm and one of them, a young man, was subsequently released. It is expected that there will be sensational developments, as the hackman of this city have found their principal source of revenue to be derived from the occupants of these houses of ill-repute and their patrons.

**SAN BERNARDINO BRÉVETTES.**  
Martin McKinney is home from the University of California to spend the holidays. Yesterday was a very bedlam, caused by the annual Christmas distribution of presents to the children of the city by Jonas Bros.

For some reason the electric lights were not burning on Christmas eve, and the last shopping for the festival was done in gloom.

The firemen's ball on Saturday night was poorly attended, and the boys received but little cash to be used in the purchase of uniforms.

A few nights ago the house of Will A. Harris was entered by burglars and the room of his nephew rifled. A small sum of money was secured by the thieves.

The marriage of Frank H. Johnson of Riverside to Miss Alice Rowan of this city, on Christmas day, was a prominent event among colored people. The bride not long ago carried off honors at the State Normal school.

The case of S. H. Nibbel, arrested on the charge of robbery at the residence of J. L. Means of Pomona, occupied Justice Kneass' court all Saturday afternoon. He was held to answer to the charge, and his bond fixed at \$1000.

**REIDLANDS.**  
Ever since the fixing of the width of the sidewalk on Fern avenue at thirty feet, there has been objection to it because it left the drive too narrow. The full width of the street is 100 feet; the sidewalks are 10 feet wide, leaving but thirty-four feet for vehicles. The residents petitioned to have the width of the sidewalks reduced to twenty feet, making for the improvement of the sidewalks fifty-four feet. The petition was granted.

The last session of the school was held at his Christmas tree this evening at the schoolhouse on Park avenue.

The Episcopal Church was handsomely decorated for the Christmas service. The Episcopate of the church was in the city visiting at the home of Mr. Higby.

The bridge over Sanja on Fifth street has been completed, also two on the upper end of Cajon street, one on Palm avenue near San Mateo and the improvement built on Crescent avenue, east of Cajon street.

Thomas Watkins has finished stone crosses on the north side of Citrus avenue at the intersection of Sixth and Seventh streets.

C. A. Witter will build a granite curb in front of his place on Highland avenue, west of Center street.

A party promised to meet the Board of Trustees last Wednesday evening, but no definite proposition on the sewer matter. The appointment was not kept, consequently no action was taken. A committee was appointed to work during the week and to see if the work could not be pushed forward more rapidly.

An effort is being made to widen Central avenue from Church street east, a distance of about seven hundred feet. This portion of the avenue is but forty feet wide, while the remainder is sixty feet in width, and State street on the west is eighty feet. With State street extended to Church street, as it is, and Central avenue widened to sixty feet, the improvement to that part of the city will be most marked.

The Redlands Water Company owns a tract of land, consisting of about twenty acres, at the mouth of the Yacalpa Canon. Part of this is occupied by the company's reservoir, which is in the improvement of winter, at an expense of about twenty-five thousand dollars, and the remainder will be improved as a reservoir for the present winter. The planting will consist principally of ornamental trees of different kinds, and the result will be another very gratifying improvement for the city.

Two houses on Citrus avenue, near Olive avenue, will be completed in a few days. They are owned by George M. Hearn, Jr.

**RIVERSIDE.**  
The orange-packing packers and shippers consumed all the day Saturday with their deliberations and then did not succeed in completing their organization. The meeting, although a representative one, did not have present near all the men who are desired to have the improvement movement, and for that reason the body was slower to act than it would have been had all been present to have a voice in the arrangements. The morning was occupied by the committee appointed to draft a form of organization and plan of operation. D. W. McLeod was chairman of this committee, and E. J. McLeod, Jr., secretary. The name, form of organization, and rules to govern the organization were finally adopted, and a number of operations so far as completed, accepted. It provides that the prices for which oranges from the members of the association should be sold must be fixed by a committee from the association appointed for that purpose, and imposes a heavy fine upon members who may violate

this or other rules. Another meeting is called for next Saturday at 2 p.m. to perfect the organization.

**KEELEY INSTITUTE BANQUET.**  
A half dozen of the patients of Keeley Institute, members of the Riverside branch of the Keeley League, gave an excellent banquet at the Glenwood last evening. A half dozen friends joined the Keeleyites about the board, part of whom are graduates from a Keeley cure. The spread was an excellent one, and a noticeable feature was the absence of champagne and other intoxicants, their place being taken by mineral waters and somewhat delicate variety kinds. At the close of the meal the usual speaking was indulged in, but in a different vein from usual. Prof. Brooke was master of the ceremonies. The toast to Dr. Leslie E. Keeley was responded to by Dr. Shumway, physician in charge of the institute. "The Class of 1892" was responded to by E. J. Wells, "Riverside's City Water" by W. E. Wells, "Relation of Dr. Keeley's Discovery to Temperance Work" by Fred Pollock. There were toasts also to "The City of Riverside" and "Dr. J. P. Shumway" receiving touching responses. The enthusiastic patients of the institute, inaugurated a new annual temperance banquet, this being the first annual banquet of the Riverside branch of the Keeley League.

**RIVERSIDE BRÉVETTES.**  
Tomorrow evening Billy's Boot appears at the Loring.

The Universalists had a pleasant Christmas gathering at the church on Saturday night.

Mrs. M. R. Plaiet and her mother, Mrs. Burrill, went to Los Angeles yesterday for a visit of several days.

S. H. Blake of Toronto, Canada, is at the Arlington. Mrs. Dr. Moss of this city is a daughter of Mr. Blake.

The Glenwood is beautifully decorated with palms and peppers and potted plants for the holiday season.

The Police Court was unusually busy on Saturday, six vagrants being up and three men convicted of stealing walnuts.

There was a very large attendance at the Congregational Church on Sunday night to hear the special Christmas exercises, which were very attractive.

The Saturday night night, Saturday and Sunday night was 92° in this city. At Arlington it was 91°. Yesterday the sun shone part of the day and the weather was beautiful.

The guests at the Arlington Hotel enjoyed the festivities of a Christmas tree on Saturday night at which Santa Claus officiated. The tree was decorated by the guests, and the little ones held forth.

**COLTON.**  
Judge Hamilton thinks of settling in Arizona. He is there now investigating prospects for the holiday season.

The Pavilion Company is talking of giving a luncheon at the starting of the work upon the big building. It is proposed to invite all the citizens to take a hand in starting the work, and make a day's outing (or innings) of it.

E. C. McKinney is enjoying a visit from his cousin, William McKinney, of Detroit, Mich.

Christmas festivities were held by the Presbyterians last night.

**SAN DIEGO.**  
The Cedros Island Venture—The Usual Christmas Ceremonies.

Harry Bond of the new Cedros Island venture, leaves for San Francisco tomorrow to secure steamers to ply between here and Mazatlan via Cedros Island. T. J. Monahan will accept a position on one of the boats.

The marriage of Herman Scholl, a retired lumber merchant, to Miss Daisy Johnson of National City, was quietly celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents. Miss Johnson is the daughter of S. S. Johnson, one of the leading citizens of National City.

Ralph Granger of Paradise Valley is erecting a large lemon curing plant. When finished it will be a model of its kind. The building is of brick and is built on the Garcelon plan, with a large central hall, and is surrounded by a large highway. It will have a capacity of 3000 boxes, with sorting and packing rooms in the basement.

San Diegans have very generally observed the usual Christmas ceremonies, and have not forgotten that there are a number of needy and suffering people in the city who have not been able to get a good dinner.

Mr. Bangs, of the Santa Ynez Agency, has been in town for the past few days visiting his many friends.

Ramon Williams, of the Santa Barbara Gas Company, was a passenger to San Luis Obispo on the steamer Los Angeles, which left yesterday morning.

Yesterday was a lovely day in Santa Barbara. The sun shone out brightly all day and the streets are fast drying up. The weather-wise ones, however, predict more rain.

The Berkeley College Glee Club are making a tour of Southern California, and will begin in Santa Barbara.

Arrangements are being perfected for a concert January 7 for the benefit of the Cottage Hospital.

The Santa Barbara Stage Company, running from here to Los Olivos, received another handsome coach by the steamer Santa Rosa Saturday night. This is a Yosemite canopy top tourist stage.

Henry Strong, who spent last winter in Santa Barbara with his family, has again returned and rented Mrs. Gilles' house, at the corner of Victoria and Chapala streets, for the winter.

**BONDOLFI'S DEATH.**  
The Coroner's Inquest Finally Concluded Yesterday Morning.

Coroner Weldon yesterday concluded the inquest on the body of Vicente Bondolfi, which was begun ten days ago. It will be remembered by readers of The Times that Bondolfi is the old man who died at the county hospital from the effects of burns, but from what he said shortly before his death it was impossible to tell how he received his injuries.

At first he stated that he was smoking his pipe in a saloon, when he fell asleep and his clothes caught fire from the stove. He said that he was in a house of ill-fame, when he got into trouble with one of the women and she threw a lot of boiling-hot water on him.

Shortly after making this statement he changed his mind, and said that he was in a house of ill-fame, when he got into trouble with one of the women and she threw a lot of boiling-hot water on him.

The inquest has been postponed from time to time, and as the detectives came to the conclusion yesterday that they could not unearth the mystery they passed on the evidence, and rendered a verdict to the effect that the old man was burned to death by some person or persons unknown to the authorities.

**W. B. TULLIS, watchmaker, 402 S. Spring street.**

**CREAM PUFFS**—raising wheat flour.

**TIMES BRANCH OFFICES.**  
PASADENA—No. 30 East Colorado street, Successor's store.

POMONA—Corner Second and Main streets.

SAN BERNARDINO—No. 20 West Fourth street, ANAHEIM—Jos. Heinlein.

SANTA BARBARA—207-19 State street, BIRD'S—Bugsby's Office.

AZUSA—Pioneer News Agency, R. B. Nathan exclusive agent.

COLTON—J. E. Malt, Postoffice news stand.

RIVERSIDE—Willett Gardner, at A. L. Derby's news stand.

At all these branch offices, news items, advertisements and orders for The Times are received.

## ORANGE COUNTY.

## Young Vanderbeek the General Topic of Discussion.

The Fact That He Has Turned Up Created No Surprise—Prosperity in the Fruit Line—Notes and Personal.

**SANTA ANA.**  
As stated in The Times several days ago, Vanderbeek, the Santa Ana forger, is too coward to commit suicide. His confession to his mother in San Francisco, published yesterday morning, was the topic of conversation all day long for those who were so unfortunate as to know him in this city, and his story of an attempt to kill himself by asphyxiation is considered a silly canard. It is the general belief here that his object in visiting his mother was to enlist her sympathy and if possible secure more money to assist him in getting further away from the officers. His morals are away below par, and it is not at all unlikely that he flourished in the dens of iniquity so common in the great Coast metropolis until he had parted with his ill-gotten gains, and then, like the heartless villain that by his own admissions he has proved himself to be, he sought to know him in this city, and his story of an attempt to kill himself by asphyxiation is considered a silly canard.

Miss Hattie Madden visited in Los Angeles yesterday.

Rev. E. C. Knott of Lordsburg was on our streets today.

Miss Cora Williams left yesterday for a brief visit in Fresno.

Local Nimrods claim the past few days to have been supremely fine for duck shooting.

Harry McKee is in from San Bernardino county visiting his parents for a few days.

Miss Rade Swanner is in Los Angeles visiting Miss Jennie Dargis of West Eighth street.

J. A. Raton and family of Salem, Or., arrived in Santa Ana yesterday to make their future home.

A large delegation of Santa Ana enthusiasts went to Los Angeles yesterday to witness the great football contest between the Santa Ana and Los Angeles teams.

Henry Peabody is home from law school in San Francisco to spend the holiday vacation with his parents in this city.

S. S. Finley of Chicago, a brother of County Surveyor S. Finley of Santa Ana, is visiting relatives in this valley.

There was a dearth of news in Santa Ana yesterday as a result of the reaction of the rays attendant upon Christmas festivities for the past few days.

Rev. P. B. Jackson, of the Congregational Church, preached his farewell sermon to an appreciative assembly Sunday evening. This is the second time Mr. Jackson has been compelled, through failing health, to give up his chosen work, which fact is greatly lamented by the church-going people of Santa Ana.



